GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Minorities Welfare Department – KAZIS ACT, 1880 (Central Act XII of 1880) – YSR District Kadapa – Allegations levelled against Sri K.S. Inayathullah, Government Kazi, Proddatur, YSR District Kadapa – Enquiry conducted – Show Cause Notice issued– Action on merits and records available – Removal from the Post of Government Kazi – Orders – Issued.

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have proved that the allegations leveled against Sri K.S. Inayathullah, Government Kazi, Proddatur are true and correct. The Enquiry Officer has concluded his report that he totally agreed with the Tahsildar report and District Collector report about the omissions and commissions of the said Government Kazi. A majority of the local people were victims of the unscrupulous methods adopted by the said Kazi while discharging his duties as Government Kazi. Besides this he is indulging in occupying the Waqf property and resorting litigations to grab the property. The Enquiry Officer has recommended for initiating action against the erring Kazi in the good interest of the Muslim community and public and on his humble opinion an appropriate action should be initiated against the erring Kazi who is defaming the respected post of Kazi for misrepresenting the esteemed virtues and principles of Islam.

5. In the reference 6th read above, the Government vide. Memo., dt:12.12.2019 has issued a Show Cause Notice against Sri K.S. Inayathullah, Government Kazi, Proddatur, YSR District Kadapa calling for an explanation, as to why his services may not be removed as Government Kazi, Proddatur, as per Section 2 of the Kazi's Act, 1880, as he was found guilty of mis-conduct in the execution of his office, with a direction to submit his explanation, within (15) days, failing which, action will be initiated based on the merits and the material available on records. In the reference 7th read above, Sri K.S. Inayathullah, Government Kazi, Proddatur, YSR District Kadapa has stated that desist from taking any action against him based on the illegal report of the Chief Executive Officer in which event he shall be constrained to resort to the unpleasantness of taking recourse to suitable action in an appropriate Forum and he shall also be entitled for damages for the harassment meted out to him in his old age after duly discharging functions of Kazi without any remark for more than 50 years in Proddatur town and the Government shall be liable for the costs of such litigation.

6. Subsequently, in the reference 8th read above, the individual has filed W.P.No.1417 of 2020 in the Hon'ble High Court with a pray to set aside 1st respondent i.e. Govt.Memo.No.38460/IDM/A1/2016, Dt: 12.12.2019. The Hon'ble High Court has issued interim orders in W.P.No.1417 of 2020, Dt: 28.01.2020 as follows:

> *.....,as the copies of the complaints and reports were not furnished to the petitioner, he will not be in a position to give an effective explanation to the show cause notice. Hence, there shall be interim stay as prayed for, for a period of four weeks i.e., up to 24.02.2020.*

7. In the reference 9th read above, in obedience of the Hon'ble Andhra Pradesh High Court, orders, Govt., have supplied the copies of complaints and reports, to Sri K.S. Inayathullah, Government Kazi, Proddatur, YSR District, Kadapa vide Government Memo., dt:17.03.2020, and instructed to submit his explanation, as called for in Government Memo., dt:12.12.2019 to Government within (10) days from the date of receipt of the said Memo, failing which, action will be initiated based on the merits and the material available on records. The Chief Executive Officer, Andhra Pradesh State Waqf Board was requested to furnish dated acknowledgement. The Chief Executive Officer, Andhra Pradesh State Waqf Board has furnished served copy(served on 18/12/2020) of Show Cause Notice, Dt.12.12.2019. Even after lapse of (3) months no further explanation received from Sri K.S.Inayathullah, Government Kazi, Proddatur, YSR District, Kadapa.

8. The Government after careful examination of the reports of the District Collector, YSR Kadapa District and the Chief Executive Officer, A.P.State Waqf Board, Vijayawada vide references 3rd and 5th read above, hereby removed Sri K.S. Inayathullah, YSR District Kadapa from the post of Government Kazi for Proddatur, YSR District Kadapa in exercise of powers conferred under Section 2 of Kazis Act, 1880, with immediate effect.

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9. The following Notification shall be published in the next issue of Andhra Pradesh State Gazette:-

NOTIFICATION

"In exercise of the powers conferred under Section-2 of the Kazi's Act, 1880 (Central Act XII of 1880), the Government of Andhra Pradesh, hereby removed Sri K.S. Inayathullah, YSR District Kadapa from the post of Government Kazi for Proddatur, YSR District Kadapa in exercise of powers conferred under Section 2 of Kazis Act, 1880, with immediate effect.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

MOHD ILIYAS RIZVI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri K.S. Inayathullah, Government Kazi for Proddatur,
D.No.16/372, Dasthagirpet, Proddatur, YSR District Kadapa-516360
(through the Collector and District Magistrate, YSR District Kadapa).
The Collector and District Magistrate, YSR District Kadapa.
The Chief Executive Officer, A.P. State Waqf Board, Vijayawada.
(with a direction to collect the marriage booklets issued if any, from Sri K.S. Inayathullah, Government Kazi for Proddatur, YSR District Kadapa).
Copy to:
The District Minorities Welfare Officer, YSR District Kadapa,
P.S. to Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister (M.W.), A.P.,Secretairat, Velagapudi,
P.A. to Principal Secretary to Government, Minorities Welfare Department,
A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi.
SC/SF.

//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER